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## POISONOUS SAID PEOPLÉ

Story of the Rise of Poi Vegetable by a Native Youth.

In ancient times of Hawaii nei, the people considered the taro poisonous, When the people saw him doing this as others will be compelled to do. they warned him, but he heeded them not, because they thought tare was a not, because they thought tare was a HE WILL SPEAK TO taro, cooked some, but the rest of the people were very much terrified, so they watched him closely to see what would be the penalty of this disobedient man; but after all, as the taro was cooked, the stranger tasted it first, then began to eat the whole of it, no death came to him, as the people had expected.

After the people saw that the man that tare was a living food. Soon their Dohrmann is the president of the Merparts of the Island to notify that tare was a food. The people began to save nicipal reforms.

the hulis which grew near their houses. When the king heard that taro was a plant taro for their own, but for the are largest He believes that business royal families. So the common people were not allowed to share in the use of this valuable food.

had the power of assuming the form of king's house. This king was a prosperous man, having many acres of both the dry-land taro and the water or Loi taro, value. After living there a famine came upon that part of the Island, Kamapuaa was in a bad fix for food. One night, as dark as could be, he rose and changed himself into the form of a gigantic hog, communication; secretly went out and began to dig here and there with his nose. He then changed into the form of a man and in-vaded the king's tare patch, pulled up many acres and carried the taro and

hulis into his field and there he planted them. When his work was done he went to be. At daybreak when the hey saw taro growing in Kamapuaa's la , they wondered where it came from, and they came to see Kamapuaa, but he was in bed. When they told him all about it he seemed to be surprised, and pretended that he did not know anything about it, and he went out, pulled the taro and shared it with his friends and neighbors.

As time went on the king's workmen were surprised to see that the taro in their fields always disappeared. They finally went and told the king. The king wished to find the robber, so he set watch in all the fields. Night after night, month after me ed, but they did not it a

treep at this. He wanted this tar but crops were ripe and t. ... and dug up some more taro, so he could plant what he stole from somebody else's field. One dark night while h was out hustling around in the king's taro patch, one of the watchmen came that way. At first he saw a black thing as he came nearer saw it moving. By this time Kamapuaa had changed himself into the form of a man and was going to pull a big taro, when suddenly he felt someone holding him. When he turned around he was in the hands of a tall man but after a hard struggle Kamapuaa escaped, because he was a good wrestler in every way. Before he disappeared the watchman discovered who he was and went immediately and told the king. Early in the morning the king sent some men to bring Kamapuaa to him. When they reached his house he was working as hard as he could, pretending that nothing had happened in the night. They

tried to arrest him, but he was too powerful, and he escaped and they had to give it up. Thus it was that Kamapuaa gave the common people taro in order to share with the royal families the use of this

valuable food. ways, on dry land, in marshy soil called the Loi taro, and another called the Kipi taro. In planting the water taro it is necessary to plant the best hulls only, for all kinds of hulls will grow on the hulis that will not decay in the water will produce good taro.

The Kipi taro is planted much in the ame way as the dry-land taro, except that a ditch of water runs around the taro patch. In planting taro I have seen people open the stalk a little wide. They say it will then bear a large crop. When a person is skillful in the production of tare, he is spoken of as the Lima hua," or the "Fruitful hand." In olden times the various tools for planting taro were the o-o made of ohia, cocoanut, opiko hala, koa, guava, sharpened at the end and fashloned so you can hold it easily. These the an-cient Hawaiians used when they had no fron. But now we use a shovel, pickax, o-o, iron bar and hoe.

There were over one hundred different varieties of taro in ancient times. The taros most commonly used in olden times were the Lehua, Maha-e-ele, Uaua, Wehiwa, Mana-ula-ula and A-la. GEORGE KAUHI, Kamehameha Manual School.

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For Sale of Land.

Samuel Kailimai, administrator of the estate of J. Pinao who died at Aiea, Ewa, Oahu, on June 11th, 1899, has filed a petition in the Circuit Court asking for an order for the sale of 58.73 acres of land at Kapoho, Puna, Hawaii, to satisfy a claim of \$1,268 still outstand- Chas M. Cooke ...... President ing against the estate. The petition P. C. Jones ...... Vice President shows that there were claims against C. H. Cooke ...... Cashier the estate amounting to \$1,455, and that F. C. Atherton ..... Assistant Cashier \$187 has been paid out on them, leaving the balance mentioned still unsatisfied.

WRAY TAYLOR A CITIZEN.

The Genial Electoral Registrar a Nephew of Uncle Sam.

Wray Taylor is one office holder who will not have to resign on account of not being an American citizen. Mr. Taylor had foresight enough nearly a score of years ago to forswear allegiance to Great Britain and take the oath

to the Hawaiian Government. His naturalization occurred on August 3, 1882, and the records of the Interand they did not dare to cook or eat it. with Hawaii as one of its citizens. He As the tare was never pulled, it grew never took out denization papers preabundantly. After many years a stran- ferring the more farreaching method of ger came and lived among the Hawaii- allying himself with the country. As a He noticed this plant growing, result he will continue to act as the ery beautiful, as always is the case of Electoral Registrar without having to the tare. He pulled some and cooked it. go through a year's political probation

## LOCAL MERCHANTS

W. Dohrmann, the San Francisco Business Man, to Talk.

F. W. Dohrmann will speak before was not killed, they themselves came the merchants of Honolulu this mornand tried the taro; it tasted fine. At the ing at 10:30 o'clock at the Chamber of same time large feasts were held in Commerce, on why Honolulu should honor of the first one who found out have a merchants' association. Mr. superstitious belief disappeared. After chants' Association of San Francisco, the feast, heralds were sent to the other one of the leading business men of that city, and a power for progress and mu-

For several years he has been an earfood he sent messengers around the Isl- nest champion of the management of and to forbid the common people to cities by those whose interests in them men should take an active interest in elections and in the selection of officials. Tradition tells us of a man named Mr. Dohrmann is recognized as an au-Kamapuaa, who was a demi-god. He thority on all economical matters, and a gigantic hog. Once he made a tour he has gained by experience, reading around the Island and married a wife, and travel a knowledge of how to pro-He took his wife and lived near the mote municipal growth that should make his talk to Honolulans of priceless

Mr. Dohrmann speaks today as the result of the urgent request of those who sent him yesterday the following Capital Stock

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rectly after the old soldier lost his fortune through the failure of Grant & Ward. The eigars were manufactured ory land, but with the water tare only at the Alvarez factory and cost 69 cents aplece in quantities of 500. It seems that when the General visited Havana after his second term he sampled this special brand, and liked it so well that he left a standing order, upon which shipments were made at intervals until the Wall street smash. For a little while after that catas rophe he smoked a cheap domestic cigar, but the cancerous throat trouble which caused his death soon set in and he thereupon abandoned the weed forever. The cigars that were shown me in Havana were very dark and rather roughly finished, but they were made from the finest tobacco ob tainable, and each one was carefully wrapped in silver foil. I also saw a box of much more costly weeds, which are put up regularly for the Czar of Russia. or rather for the Russian court circle for the Czar himself smokes nothing but eigarettes. They were lighter than the Grant cigar-I would call them about colorado maduro-and were con siderably larger. They are shipped in lots of 1,000, and for each consignment the makers receive a draft on the Barings for \$1,250 in gold. The agent who exhibited these treasures told me that the Russian royal household has been getting that special make of cigar for of the Young Men's Christian Association, the details of which were fully American war, which brought the mangiven in yesterday's Advertiser, are standstill, did not affect this luxurious about completed. The junior members output, for the reason that several will occupy the camp from July 16 to years' supply of the extra fine leaf is Is the POPULAR WHEEL

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